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Crossword

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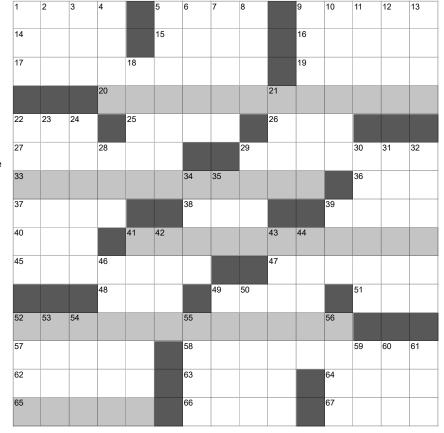
ACROSS

- 1 Titular Irving character
- 5 City in Ala.
- 9 Distant
- 14 Nabisco brand snack
- 15 Dynamic start?
- 16 "West Side Story" protagonist
- 17 Really tricky crossword puzzle, maybe
- 19 "Meninist," maybe
- 20 Vagabond?
- 22 Beatles adj.
- 25 High ____ (spiked seltzer brand)
- 26 Consumed
- 27 US state with most federal funding per capita
- 29 Sac
- 33 ABC's David Muir, for one?
- 36 American Football genre
- 37 Wife of Rama
- 38 Faces hit "____ La La"
- 39 Single-name Bollywood star
- 40 Demon of Japanese folklore
- 41 Member of a polycule, perhaps?
- 45 Aromatic bags
- 47 Cockney's response to "Where are you?", perhaps
- 48 Singer DiFranco
- 49 Feature of Mike Tyson's speech, for example

- 51 Hindu nationalist org.
- 52 Japanese macaque, almost?
- 57 "1, 2 Step" singer
- 58 Demanding of respect
- 62 Filmmaker Jon behind "Entrapment" and "The Core"
- 63 Sow's counterpart
- 64 Hold (in), as emotions
- 65 Musical groups, and what the answers to 20-, 33-, 41-, and 52across are a part of
- 66 Govt. IDs
- 67 Essential

DOWN

- 1 Sticky morsel
- 2 "____You Experienced?" (Hendrix record)
- 3 Call a game, briefly
- 4 Stream
- 5 Mob advance?
- 6 "Greetings"
- 7 "You ____ big trouble, pal"
- 8 Eve's opposite
- 9 1997 Spielberg flick
- 10 Gasped like Fido
- 11 All-caps gas station
- 12 Frenchman's regrets, maybe?
- 13 One might be as old as time
- 18 Japanese discount chain named for famous windmill tilter
- 21 New Zealand apple cultivar



- 22 Pejorative for the overweight
- 23 "Sesame Street" actress ____ Reed Hall
- 24 Estonian, maybe
- 28 Hippos genre
- 29 Big name in house paint
- 30 "Bone Collector" author Jeffery
- 31 Campfire residue
- 32 Mediapro founder and CEO Jaume
- 34 "American _____' (Gaiman novel)

- 35 Tool used for comically self-inflicted injury of cartoon villains
- 39 Dark web browser
- 41 Service workers, to snobs
- 42 Psych follower?
- 43 What a great album might have
- 44 Societal outcast
- 46 Ire
- 49 Deposits
- 50 American portraitist Henry

- 52 BLM protest sign staple
- 53 "Green Mansions" protagonist portrayed by Audrey Hepburn
- 54 "Adam Raised a ____' (Springsteen track)
- 55 Disfigures
- 56 Long-winded version of 60-down
- 59 Famous Seinfeld part
- 60 Spin a 56-down
- 61 What you've reached if you made it to this clue